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Note verbale dated 15 May 2015 from the Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2206 (2015) and, with reference to the Chair's note dated 1 April 2015, has the honour to present the report of the Government of Japan to the Committee, pursuant to paragraph 17 of resolution 2206 (2015), in which the Council calls upon all Member States to report to the Committee within 90 days of the adoption of the resolution on the steps they have taken to implement effectively paragraphs 9 and 12 of the resolution (see annex).

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Annex to the note verbale dated 15 May 2015 from the Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

Report to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2206 (2015) concerning South Sudan

1. Regarding paragraph 9 of resolution 2206 (2015), the Government of Japan will take measures based on the Immigration Control and Refugee Recognition Act (1951) to prevent the entry into Japan and transit through Japanese territory of individuals to be designated by the Sanctions Committee.

2. Regarding paragraph 12 of resolution 2206 (2015), the Government of Japan will take measures based on the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act (1948) to prevent the transfer of financial resources to and from individuals and entities to be designated by the Sanctions Committee.

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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Lithuania to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2206 (2015) concerning South Sudan and has the honour to refer to Security Council resolution 2206 (2015).

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Lithuania has the further honour to enclose Lithuania's report pursuant to paragraph 17 of resolution 2206 (2015) (see annex).

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Annex to the note verbale dated 18 May 2015 from the Permanent Mission of Lithuania to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

Report of the Government of the Republic of Lithuania regarding the implementation of Security Council resolution 2206 (2015)

The framework for the implementation of international sanctions in the Republic of Lithuania is established by the Law on the Implementation of Economic and Other International Sanctions (2004).[a] The Ministry of Foreign Affairs coordinates the implementation of international sanctions in the Republic of Lithuania and provides natural and legal persons with information about the issues pertaining to the implementation of the international sanctions.[b]

The international sanctions imposed by the Security Council are implemented by the decisions of the European Union, directly applicable regulations of the European Union and the resolutions of the Government as far as certain measures are not implemented by European Union regulations.

Paragraphs 9 and 12 of resolution 2206 (2015) concerning South Sudan are implemented through the following legislation:

1. At the European Union level:

(a) Council Decision (CFSP) 2015/740 of 7 May 2015 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in South Sudan, repealing Decision 2014/449/CFSP;

(b) Council Regulation (EU) No. 2015/735 of 7 May 2015 concerning restrictive measures in respect of the situation in South Sudan, and repealing Regulation (EU) No. 748/2014.

2. At the national level, the travel ban is implemented by the Government resolution on the "Implementation of political sanctions that prohibit the entry or transit of individuals through the territory of the Republic of Lithuania" (2008),[c] which establishes a procedure for including the individuals on a national travel ban list.

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[a] Available online in English at: http://www3.lrs.lt/pls/inter3/dokpaieska.showdoc_l?p_id=256251.

[b] More information on the implementation of international sanctions in Lithuania is available in English on the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs: www.urm.lt/sanctions.

[c] Available online in Lithuanian at http://www3.lrs.lt/pls/inter3/dokpaieska.showdoc_l?p_id=321120&p_tr2=2.